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Transmitted herewith for filing is the continuing patent application of:

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For: TRANSGENIC PLANTS THAT ARE RESISTANT  
TO A BROAD SPECTRUM OF PATHOGENS

Enclosed are:

- 37 pages of specification, 3 pages of claims, and an abstract.
- 3 sheets of drawings.
- 3 pages of an Oath or Declaration:
  - A copy of oath or declaration filed with the prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)).
- Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission:
  - Computer Readable Copy.
  - Paper Copy (identical to computer copy), 11 pages.
  - Statement in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821 verifying identity of above copies.
- An assignment of the invention to: University of Victoria Innovation and Development Corporation, a Recordation Cover Sheet, and the Recordal fee of \$40.00.
- Preliminary Amendment.
- Information Disclosure Statement.
- Form PTO-1449.

Continuing Application:

- Continuation
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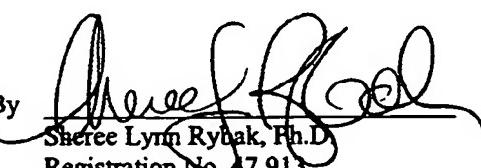
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 A check in the amount of \$554.00 to cover the filing fee and the assignment recordal fee is enclosed.  
 Assignee for this application is or will be **University of Victoria Innovation and Development Corporation**, and Applicants request that this information be listed on the published application.  
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